

UNITED STATES PARK POLICE

Appropriation Language

For expenses necessary to carry out the programs of the United States Park Police, [\$78,048,000, of which \$1,607,000 for security enhancements in the Washington, DC area shall remain available until expended] \$65,260,000: Provided, That no funds are available for the cost of the United States Park Police pension fund.

Justification of Proposed Language Changes

1. Deletion: “, of which \$1,607,000 for security enhancements in the Washington, DC area shall remain available until expended”

This language is no longer needed because the funding provided has served its purpose and is not requested again.

2. Addition: “: Provided, That no funds are available for the cost of the United States Park Police pension fund”

This provision reflects the proposal to fund United States Park Police pension costs in the Operation of the National Park System appropriation account as before Congress established this new United States Park Police account. New bill language for this purpose is proposed for the Operation of the National Park System account

Appropriation Language Citations

1. For expenses necessary to carry out the programs of the United States Park Police, \$_____:

16 U.S.C. 1a-6 and Public Law 80-447

16 U.S.C. 1a-6 authorizes the designation of officers and employees to maintain law and order and protect persons and property within areas of the National Park System.

Public Law 80-447 (62 Stat. 81) authorizes the United States Park Police to make arrests in the Washington Metropolitan area.

2. Provided, That no funds are available for the cost of the United States Park Police pension fund.

No specific authority

United States Park Police pension costs are proposed to be paid in the Operation of the National Park System appropriation account as they were before Congress established this new United States Park Police account.